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The columns of this Press are always  
open to the people of the county for the discussion  
of questions of local interest.

## Democratic Ticket.

Judge Supreme Court.  
HON. JAMES D. FOX.  
HON. LEROY B. VALLIANT.  
HON. GAYON D. BURGESS.  
Congress—  
HON. EDWARD ROBE.  
Representative—  
J. MARION WELKER.  
Presiding Judge County Court—  
JAMES M. ZIMMERMAN.  
County Judge—First District—  
S. I. SPENGLER.  
County Judge—Second District—  
J. P. LIMBAUGH.  
Circuit Clerk and Recorder—  
RAM J. MCINNIS.  
County Clerk—  
JACOB A. TAYLOR.  
Collector of the Revenue—  
BURETTE SNIDER.  
Sheriff—  
A. P. ELORACHEN.  
Probate Judge—  
DAVID C. CLAPP.  
County Treasurer—  
J. V. NISKARD.  
Prosecuting Attorney—  
CHARLES O. REVELLE.  
Coroner—  
DR. C. M. WETMER.  
Justices of the Peace—Loraine Town-  
ship—Two to be elected—  
B. L. BOWMAN.  
ELI LUTES.  
Constable—Loraine Township—  
A. P. CRADER.

Democratic Dates.  
Convention, St. Joseph, July 22.  
1st of Appeals, Convention, St. Louis,  
Oct. 5.

Democratic State Conven-  
tion will convene at St. Joseph  
Tuesday.

DEPUTY GOVERNOR JOHN A.  
has our thanks for a very con-  
venient pocket map of Missouri—  
of interesting and valuable in-  
formation.

Regular summer meeting of  
Missouri Press Association will  
be at Kansas City July 23,  
the excursion to different points  
of interest in Colorado, will leave  
Kansas City July 24.

Southwest Missouri has good rea-  
son to feel proud in having a nomi-  
nation for Supreme Judge, as it has  
long years since this part of  
the state was honored with that  
title. Judge Fox will be elected  
will make us a brilliant judge.  
Charleston Courier.

Springfield convention nomi-  
nated Judge Gavon D. Burgess of  
St. Louis, Judge James D. Fox of  
St. Louis, three of the  
most eminent jurists, for  
the Supreme Court. This  
first time in years that this  
part of the state has been given an  
opportunity to be represented in  
the Supreme Court and Judge  
Fox is one of the ablest jurists in  
the state, who will add ability, strength  
and honor to the highest tribunal  
of our commonwealth.

As BARK was there and put  
ball in motion; the delegates  
rest, and they didn't do a  
thing but let it be known that the  
Bark democracy is still democ-  
ratic. The delegates from Bollinger  
county discharged their whole  
duty and proved that the right men  
were there to vote right. A politi-  
cally party is certainly in a plight  
it stands on a platform it has  
it down on. What the issues  
be four years hence we know  
but we do know that the Kan-  
City platform contains the  
principles of the democratic party  
it adopts another.

Apportionment of School Money.  
State Auditor Albert O. Allen  
has certified to State Superin-  
tendent of Public Schools W. T.  
Trignton the amount of money  
he apportioned this year from  
state receipts for the support of  
public schools of the state. The  
amount is a big increase over the  
amount apportioned last year, which  
was an increase over the previous  
year. The state this year will have  
\$7,321.48 to divide among the  
counties as compared with \$1,085,  
21 distributed last year. It can  
yet be determined how much  
each county will receive until the  
state superintendent has received  
the reports from each county  
regarding the enrollment in the coun-  
ties.

The schools of the state get one-  
fourth of the money received into  
state revenue fund from July 1  
to July 1 of each year. During the  
year just closed there were \$2,949,  
44 received into the revenue  
fund one-third of which amounts to  
\$3,321.48 and interest on the  
school certificates amounts to \$180,  
making a total of \$1,170,311.48.  
This is a grand showing for the  
schools of the state under the ad-  
ministration of democrats.  
Governor Dockery, commenting  
yesterday upon the increased appor-

## GRAND CLEARING SALE!!

All Summer Goods  
Of every description at actual cost and less. We are determined  
not to carry over a single thing in Summer Goods.

Our loss is your gain. Note these prices:

15c Lawns for 7 1-2c.	Ladies' Oxford Shoes, were \$1.25 and 1.50, for 75c and \$1.	Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs \$1. Green Coffee, 10 lbs \$1. Rice, 5c per lb.
10c Lawns for 5 1-2c.		
5 and 6 1-4c Lawns for 4c.		

Mason's best quality self-sealing Fruit Jars, one dozen in box; quarts 45c; half-gallon Jars, 60c per doz.  
We have a large line of Men's Furnishing goods; such as Shirts, Underwear and Straw Hats; all going  
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and our prices are the lowest.

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LUTESVILLE,  
MISSOURI.

## Southeast News

## Pote-ry.

A North Missouri farmer whose  
hog was killed by a train wrote the  
company's claim agent for a settle-  
ment. Being somewhat of a "poet" he  
penned his communication thus:

DEAR SIR:—  
My razorback strolled down your track  
A week ago to-day  
Your twenty-nine came down the line  
And snuffed his light away.  
You can't blame me—the hog, you see,  
Slipped through a cattle gate.  
So kindly pen a check for ten  
This debt to liquidate.

He was rather surprised a few days  
later to receive the following:

Old Twenty-nine came down the line,  
And killed your hog, we know,  
But razorbacks on railroad tracks  
Quite often meet with woe.  
Therefore, my friend, we cannot send  
The check for which you pine,  
Just plant the dead place over his head:  
"Here lies a foolish swine."  
—Poplar Bluff Sentinel.

Mrs. Phitts Robs was shot and  
killed at Flat River July 3. She  
with her husband and little daugh-  
ter were passing along the street  
when a bullet from an unknown  
source struck and mortally wound-  
ed her.

Dexter Messenger.  
The wheat crop in Stoddard  
county is pronounced the best yield  
ever grown in the county. It is  
hardly as good as the crop of last  
year, but the yield is much larger.  
About two-thirds of the crop has  
already been threshed.

Charleston Courier.  
The railroad company are ex-  
pecting about 35 barges of steel  
rails direct from the foundry at  
Pittsburg, Pa., which will be con-  
signed to Belmont and loaded on  
cars. About 1,500 ear loads will  
pass through Charleston and make  
things lively for Belmont. Road-  
master Porter will superintend the  
loading of the steel which belongs  
to the L. M. B. R. Co., and will be  
distributed all over the entire line.

Little Agnes had been a regular  
attendant at Sunday School last  
winter, says the New York Sun.  
The other day the school opened  
again after the vacation and the  
teacher decided to have a general  
review of all the ground covered  
by the primary department. She  
started very properly at the begin-  
ning. "Children," said she, "after  
Adam was created, how was Eve  
brought into the world?" Half a  
dozen hands went into the air.  
"Willie Smith may answer," said  
the teacher. "Made outen-a-bone-  
from Adam." "Now, children, that  
is correct. And from what bone  
was woman created?" There was  
an awful silence in the class-room.  
Finally little Agnes' hand went up  
like a shot. "You may answer,  
Agnes." Her decision came quick-  
ly. "The jaw-bone," said she.  
Dunklin Democrat.

Watermelons will be started out  
of here and along the St. Louis and  
Gulf road to-day in earnest. Six-  
teen cars are being loaded, or will  
be by Monday. The size of melons  
this year will be larger than usual.  
There is considerable trouble in  
getting cars, as the St. Louis and  
Gulf has decided to route the mel-

## Our Correspondents

## Zalma.

Seeing no reports from our place  
I will try to give you some of our  
doings.

Farmers are delighted over the  
prospect of abundant crops.  
Health is good with few excep-  
tions.  
Miss Lora Goff of Fredericktown  
is visiting her mother, Mrs. Dixon.  
George Hastings who is miller at  
Greenville, spent the Fourth here  
with his family.  
Mrs. John King was on the sick  
list last week.

Henry James went to Castor to  
look after the Burk's estate.  
James Crosby of Greenbrier was  
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tractiveness of our town.  
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farm.  
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Our part of the county will have  
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farm and garden produce.  
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## Buchanan.

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selling their new hay for fifty cents  
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is visiting his uncle, A. W. Ashcraft  
at present.

John Propat is working for his  
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Jack Mallin and son, Walter, left  
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GEO. E. CLARK, Vice-Pres't. U. D. RHODES, Asst. Cashier.

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